FREIGHT RAISE SENDS COAL UP

Higher Prices to Consumer Are Announced by Dealers in Chicago.

FUEL MAY GO STILL HIGHER

Illinois Operators Undecided Whether or Not Another Increase in Cost Will Follow Wage Increase Granted Workers.

Chicago, Aug. 30,-Chicago wholesale and retail coal dealers increased the price of coal, the advances ranging from 53 cents to \$1.90 a ton, effecrive Thursday, the date the rail transportation companies added increases to their charges

Southern Illinois coal moving intrastate will cost Chicagoans 53 cents a ton more. The same kind of coal handled on interstate routes will be raised 65 cents additional per ton.

Indiana coals will cost the consumer from 53 cents to 57 cents a ton more. Pocahontas and other eastern bituminous coals will cost \$1.05 a ton more. Anthracite prices are advanced \$1.90 a ton.

Illinois coal operators cannot state at this time with a degree of definiteness whether or not another increase in the price of coal will follow the wage increase granted to workers retroactive to August 16.

R. H. May, secretary of the Retail Coal bureau, 407 South Dearborn street, said the merchants raised their prices on Thursday, immediately following the issuance of the new freight

tariffs.

The increase in freight rates range traffic from 40 per cent on interstate traffic to 33 1-3 per cent on Illinois state

The new wage agreement with 16 Illinois coal operators and workers signed Thursday at the Auditorium ho tel grants an increase of \$1.50 a day to all day and monthly men. The day man will now average \$7.50 for eight hours' work, while monthly men will average between \$160 and \$210 a

The agreement, which will terminate on March 31, 1922, gives the workers back pay to August 16. Large consumers of soft coal al ready have been notified that they will be required to stand another slight in-

crease, as provided by their contracts, to take care of the wage increases, E C. Searls said. "We cannot say right now whether the wage increase will affect the retail price of coal," Mr. Searls said, "but I can say that at present we do not an-

ticipate any increase." GREEN BAY IS GROWING FAST

sconsin City Shows Increase in Papulation of 5,781—Los Angeles Has 976,438.

Washington, Aug. 30.—Census figures en out include: Green Bay, Wis., 31,017; increase, 5,781, or 22.9 per Red Wing, Minn., 8,673; decrease, 411, or 4.5 per cent. Huron, S. the simple ministerial action on my D. 8.802; increase 2,511, or 43.4 per cent. Hot Springs, Ark., 11,695; de- part with any ceremony or setting crease, 2,789, or 19 per cent, Corpus Christi, Texas, 10,522; increase, 2,800, or 28 per cent. Wayne county, Mich. containing Detroit, 1,177,706, an increase of 646,115, or 121.5 per cent. Los Angeles county, California, containing Los Angeles, 976,438, an increase of 432,307, or 85.8 per cent. Glendale, Cal., 13,536, an increase of 10.790, or 392.9 per cent. Buffalo, N. Y. (revised), 506,775, previously announced as 505,875.

IDAHO WOMAN FOR CONGRESS

Democrats of the First District Nom inated Mrs. Nell K. Irion of . Gand Point.

Idaho Falls, Idaho, Aug. 27,-Mrs. Nell K. Irion of Sand Point was nominated by the Democratic state convention for congress from the First district. She is the first woman ever to be named for a congressional office in the state of Idaho. United States Senator John F. Nugent of Idaho was renominated by unanimous rising vote.

KIDNAPED AMERICANS FREED Zamora, Their Captor, Is Reported

Have Surrendered in State

of Jalisco.

Mexico City, Aug. 27 .- All the Americans kidnaped by Pedro Zamora, the bandit leader, at Cuale, Jalisco, the "jamboree" in England and France last week, have been released, according to reliable advices received here from Guadalajara, capital of Jalisco. They held a reception aboard the .l.ip, These reports state that Zamora has

Russ Evacuate Vilna. Parts, Aug. 28.-The Russian soviet forces have evacuated Vilna, Lithua-

ing the French foreign office. Illinois Miners Get Raise Chicago, Aug. 28.-Formal accept

Russian soviet soldiers have been capance of a new increase of \$1.50 a day to more than 40,000 Illinois coal miners was made by 16 men represent- | 000 interned in east Prussia, according ing Illinois coal operators and officials to the latest report received from the of the workers' unions. Chains Daughter to Stove.

Peoria, Ill., Aug. 27.-Because her ten-year-old daughter lost a silver dol- of the \$2,000,000 estate of the late Nellar she had given to her to make some lie A. Black, widow of John C. Black, chained her to a heated stove.

Antwerp, Aug. 27 .- The Yankee ath-

Ethelda Bleibtry of New York won the figure of 35,320,000, according to an and children. When asked why he Poland concerning the formation of an 100-meter free style swim for women announcement by the American Red failed to pay, Gavin said: "How can armed million of 200,000 workingment in 1 minute 13 3-5 seconds. Suggests Calling Japs Home. Honolulu, Aug. 26.-Recall by the

Japanese government of all Japanese who have emigrated to the United at his home here. Col. Ray served in as follows: Kenosha, Wis., 40,742, 19,- ninety-one, left 91 immediate descend-States has been suggested by promi- the regular army about twenty-five 101 increase, or 89.4 per cent; Wauke, ants. They are: Eight children, 37 nent citizens of Tokyo as a means of years, retiring after service in the sha, Wis., 12,558, 3,828 increase, or grandchildren, 44 great-grandchildren solving the Japanese problem.

Suffrage Victory Certified. Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 26.-Frank M. Thompson, attorney general of Tennessee, announced that Gov. A. H. Roberts had certified Tennessee's ratification of the suffrage amendment to growing out of labor troubles in the O'Hara, a prominent business man, arrested on board the British freight-Secretary of State Colby.

HAR-HAR-HE BIT HIMSELF



Away at Traer, lowa.

Served as Secretary of Agriculture In

the Cabinets of Three

Presidents,

Traer, Ia., Aug. 27.-James Wilson

agriculture died here at 11 a. m. Thurs-

James Wilson was secretary of agri-

culture from 1897 until 1913 in the cab-

inets of Presidents McKinley, Roose-

velt and Taft, during which he contrib-

uted largely to the agricultural devel-

His work in that capacity was note.

ole not only for constructive achieve-

ment, but for its long term, which con-

Born August 16, 1835, in Ayrshire,

Scotch farmer, who, believing himself

fitted for wider opportunities, brought

Twenty Per Cent Increase in Passen

ger Fares and 33 1-3 Per Cent

Raise in Freight.

Nearly every railroad filed blanket

schedules with the interstate com-

merce commission, making effective

the general increase of 33 1-3 per cent

charges and 50 per cent in charges for

Water carriers inaugurated joint rail

and water traffic rate increases corre-

Steamship lines operating on the

Officials and Auto Associations Take

Part in Ceremony at Denver.

Colorado.

Denver, Colo., Aug. 26 .- The Na-

ing 4,500 miles through eleven national

association participated in the dedica-

Grizzlies Terrify St. Louis.

Mutiny in Canadian Police,

William James Wilson Is Dead.

Alimony More Than He Earne

Pioneer lowa Judge Dies.

Oskaloosa, Ia., Aug. 26.-Judge Ben

crowd of pedestrians.

sponding to the all-rall advance.

Pullman accommodations,

in freight rates, 20 per cent in passen-

opment of the United States.

stituted a record.

Wednesday.

WOMEN GIVEN VOTE JAMES WILSON DEAD

Secretary of State Colby Issues Famous Farm Expert Passes Proclamation.

Document Signed at Eight O'Clock at Cabinet Member's Home in Washington.

Washington, Aug. 28.-The proclanation announcing officially that the suffrage amendment to the Constitution had been ratified was signed by Secretary Colby of the state depart-

ment on Thursday. The document was signed at 8 a. m. at Mr. Colby's home, when the certificate from Governor Roberts that the Tennessee legislature had ratified the amendment was received. Secretary Colby announced his action on his arrival at his office later.

Secretary Colby's statement follows "The certified record of the action of the legislature of the state of Tennessee on the suffrage amendment was eceived by mail this morning. Immediately on its receipt the record was brought to my house. This was in opliance with my directions and in first in Connecticut and then, in 1855, accordance with numerous requests for

prompt action. "I thereupon signed the certificate required of the secretary of state this 1904 he received the degree of LL. D. norming at eight o'clock in the pres- from the University of Wisconsin and ence of Mr. F. K. Nielsen, the solicitor | Cornell (Iowa) college. of the state department, and Mr. Charles L. Cook, also of the state de- and in all served three terms in the partment. The seal of the United house. States has been duly affixed to the certificate and the suffrage amendment is now the nineteenth amendment of

"It was decided not to accompany has, regretfully, been the source considerable contention as to who shall participate in it and who shall not.

The proclamation recounts the process by which the new article 19 of the Constitution was presented and ratified, naming the ratifying states,

"Now, therefore, be it known that I, Bainbridge Colby, secretary of state of the United States, by virtue and in pursuance of section 205 of the revised statutes of the United States, do hereby certify that the amendment aforesaid has become valid to all intents and purposes as a part of the Constitution of the United States."

150 CHRISTIANS ARE SLAIN

Bedouing Descend on Village Near Jerusalem-Attack Train and KIII Officer.

Cairo, Egypt, Aug. 30 .- One hundred and fifty Christians have been killed at Ajlun, a village about fifty miles northeast of Jerusalem, by a band of Bedouins, according to a dispatch received here from Haifn, Palestine. Another dispatch says that in a recent Bedouin raid on a train near Damascus an Italian naval officer was among the killed.

Boy Scouts Sall for Home. St. Nazaire, Aug. 25,-The American boy scouts who have been attending departed for America aboard the American transport Princess Matolka. Automobile association. Immediately entertaining several hundred French boy scouts,

Many Russian Prisoners. Berlin, Aug. 30.-Sixty-five thousand bolshevist soldiers have crossed and the railway station and pub- the border into Germany. These, to- and frightened hundreds of persons by He buildings there were occupied by gether with the 180,000 Russians who Lithuanians, according to news reach- are still in Germany as prisoners, pursued by mounted policemen and a

make a group of 245,000 Russlanss. Many Russ Captured. Paris, Aug. 30.-Eighty thousand

tured in Poland, 40,000 killed and 30,-French mission in Poland Charity Gets \$2,000,000. Chicago, Aug. 28 .- Practically all

left to charity.

Washington, Aug. 28 .- The total loss letes added another world's record to in actual and potential life through Boston salesman, was arrested for non-Cross here. a man pay more than he makes?"

Lt. Col. Ray, Retired, Dies. Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 27.—Col. Washington, Aug. 26.—The census Beecher B. Ray, U. S. A., retired, died bureau announced population figures Philippine insurrection.

Gunboat Goes to Honduras. Washington, Aug. 27.-The gunboat Sacramento has been ordered from McCoy, pioneer member of the Ma-Port Lemon, Costa Rica, to La Ceiba, haska county bar and widely known Honduras, as a result of disturbances in state Republican politics, and Ralph woman supposed to be his wife, was vicinity of that port died here.

40,000 RUSSIANS KILLED BY POLES

Eighty Thousand Taken Prisoner and 30,000 Interned in East Prussia.

RED COMMANDER IS OUSTED

Gen. Tuchatschewski, Known as "Soviet Napoleon," Relieved as Commander of Bolshevist Army for Failure to Take Warsaw.

Paris, August 28.-Eighty thousand Russian soviet soldiers have been captured in Poland, 40,000 killed and 30,-000 interned in east Prussia, according to the latest report received from the French mission in Poland,

The foreign office has counseled Poland to attain the best strategic military position possible until peace is signed, regardless of her ethnegraphic frontier, because the military situation would influence the peace terms.

France has advised Poland, how ever, to withdraw her armies within the Polish frontier upon the signing of peace, the foreign office added. Warsaw, August 28.-General Tuchatschewski, known as the "soviet Napoleon," has been relieved of his post as commander-in-chief of the Rus sian bolshevist army on the Polish front because of his failure to take Warsaw, according to information giv-

en to the press here. Leon Trotzky, bolchevist minister of war and marine, has personally taken command of the army, it is reported by bolshevist officers who have been

made prisoners. Ossowetz, the famous fortress north east of Bialystok, 120 miles northeast of Warsaw, was taken by the Poles according to a communication issue here. There are no details.

The Poles took 600 prisoners in the former secretary of the department of fighting north of Ostrolenka, after the capture of that stronghold.

A Polish detachment east of Lemberg has occupied Zadworze and Pree ayslany. Polish cavalry on the south ern front, after a short hand to hand fight, wiped out the Seventy-Second bolshevist brigade and made prisoners of many of the men, including the brigade chief of staff. Fresh Russian bolshevist forces, re-

leased from the Finnish frontier, have been rushed toward Grodne in an endeavor to head off the Polish advances and if possible to rescue thousands Scotland, he was the son of a thrifty of the red army hemmed in by the Poles, according to military informahis family to America in 1851, settling Owing to the soviet-Finnish peace

treaty, thousands of reds, it is reportin what is now Tama county, central ed, are being transferred to the Polish Iowa. James was educated in the pubfront. The Poles are expected to relic schools and in Iowa college. In occupy Grodno at an early date. A bolshevist brigade of 4,000, which crossed the Dniester river before Horodenka and reached the Serth

In 1872 he was elected to congress river, was surrounded and surrendered to the re-enforced Polish forces that are clearing out the region south of NEW RAIL RATES IN EFFECT Bug on the Galician front. The bolsheviki no longer are grouped on a continuous front, but isolated

fighting is continuing. London, Aug. 28 .- A Berlin dispatch asserts that Russian prisoners arriving at Cracow report that the famous Rus-Washington, Aug. 27.-Increased sian bolshevist cavalry leader, Budentransportation charges on practically ny, has been seriously wounded in acall railroad and steamship lines of the country became effective at midnight

The situation at Danzig shows narked improvement and munitions being unloaded, according to the Danzig correspondent of the London Times. It is asserted that there will he no difficulty in the future over the unloading and dispatch of munitions ger fares and excess baggage and milk to Poland.

GOV. COX HAS NEW MANAGER Representative Cantrill of Kentucky to Take Over Active Control of

Campaign. Atlantic coast, Great Lakes and Gulf of Mexico will increase their all-water Washington, Aug. 26.-Representarates from 20 to 40 per cent on freight tive James Cantrill of Kentucky has and from 20 to 33 1-3 per cent on pastaken over active management of Govsenger traffic, as a result of a decision Tuesday night by the shipping board. and will take hold immediately. DEDICATE NEW PARK ROAD

Governor Cox is scheduled to confe with Mr. Cantrill soon. At that time an effort will be made to determine the process by which Campaign Manager White can be "eased out of the Demecratic picture." It is possible that his retention as chairman of the national tional Park-to-Park highway, extendcommittee will be taken as the safe course.

parks in nine western states, was dedicated and officially opened here. Mrs. Chaplin Spurns \$125,000, Stephen T. Mather, director of the na-Los Angeles, Cal., Aug. 30,-One tional park service, and officials of hundred and twenty-five thousand the National Park-to-Park Highway dollars, it became known here, is not sufficient to appeare the feeling of tion, with officials of the American Mildred Harris Chaplin. The offer was spurned by her attorneys, who are following the dedication, the officials said to have instructed the film acplanned to start in twenty-five autotress to avoid meeting her husband or mobiles for a tour of the highway. anyone representing him.

St. Louis, Aug. 30.-Two grizzly Washington, Aug. 30.-The United bears escaped from the municipal zoo States has been requested by the Serbian government to appoint representrunning through a residential section, atives to an allied commission to investigate the conflict between Albania and Jugo-Slavia.

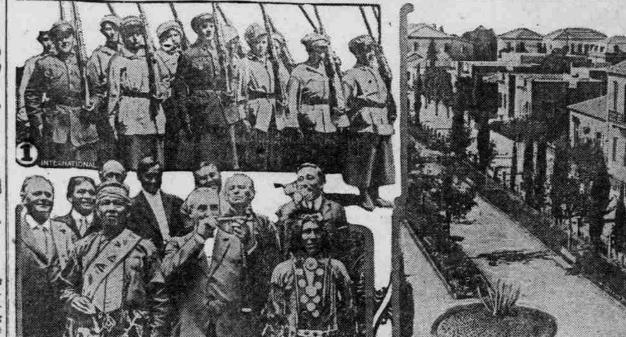
First Linen Paper Maker Dies, Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 30.-Twenty-eight Westfield, Mass., Aug. 30.-Frederick nembers of the Dominion police in A. Thompson, 92 years old, one of the this city recently amalgamated with oldest paper makers in this part of the the Royal Canadian Mounted police. country, died here. He was said to be have mutinied. They object to devot- the first to manufacture the so-called ing so much of their time to drilling. linen paper.

Fails to Swim Dover Strait, Ottawa, Ont., Aug. 26.-William London, Aug. 28 .- After fighting the James Wilson, one of Canada's most choppy water of the English channel prominent scientists, and for many for 18 hours in an effort to swim from purchases at a grocery store, 'Irs. F. one-time president of the Continental years paleobotanist for the geological England to France, Henry Sullivan of Fitzanko of Pekin, it is charged, and Commercial National bank, was survey, federal department of mines, Lowell, Mass., was taken into a boat is dead at the age of sixty-nine years. when within three miles of his goal, Russ Drop Militia Demand

Omaha, Neb., Aug. 26 .- S. L. Gavin, Paris, Aug. 28 .- The Russian soviet government is prepared to withdraw their Olympic games string when Miss the great war reached the astounding payment of \$40 a week to his wife the clause in the soviet peace terms of in Poland, says a Moscow wireless,

Leaves 91 Descendants Olathe, Kan., Aug. 27.-W. J Attan oury, who died here at the age of and two great-great-grandchildren.

Leroy Under Arrest. Rio Janeiro, Aug. 27.-Eugene Le roy, wanted by the police of Detroit in connection with the murder of a er Dryden, which arrived here,



U.S. U. Plate 3 1-Some members of the Legion of Polish women who tought bravely against the invading Russians. Senator Harding smoking the pipe of peace with the heads of twelve tribes of Indians at Marion, O. 3-View of "Tell Avio," the prosperous Jewish (Zionist) colony at Jaffa.

of the Reds, and it was stated by

that this would result in the immedi-

ate rupture of the negotiations at

General Wrangel, who had been

rather quiet of late in the Crimean

paign Thursday with his reorganized

forces. One of his armies moved east-

ward onto the mainland, speedily tak-

tablish communication with the Turk

peninsula, started a vigorous cam-

Defeat of Russian Armies in Poland One of the Greatest In History.

HUNDRED THOUSAND CAPTURED

America and Allies Warn Poles to Stop at Frontier-Britain to Recognize Egypt's Independence-Cox Accuses Republicans of Trying to "Buy" Presi-

dency.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD. The week closed with four of the five soviet Russian armies that attacked Poland practically destroyed or dispersed. The Reds, it was estimated, had lost nearly 100,000 prisoners and about 40,000 others had been killed. Many thousands had been forced across the German border, where they were disarmed and interned-or were supposed to be, if the Germans did their duty as neutrals, The Russian cavalry and infantry that escaped from the Polish pincers retired on Grodno and Ossowiec and such reserves as they had were brought up to the latter place. It was expected that the Reds would put up a desperate fight in the marsh country there to preserve contact with the East Prussia border and to keep the Poles from

The last real effort of the Red army of the north resulted in three days of flerce fighting in the Narew valley left bank of the between Lomza and Ostrolenka, the Russians trying to force their way across the road to Bialystok. The Poles captured the river crossings, and next day another of their forces advanced along the Prussian frontier to Myszynies. The Reds were caught between these forces and had to surrender

forming a junction with the Lithuan-

Of all the invaders of Poland, only General Budenny's forces, mostly cavalry, appear to have escaped. They were operating in Galicia toward Lemburg, and when the fate of the soviet adventure was certain they made a rush forward with the intention of destroying the great oil wells in that region. They reached the outskirts of Lemburg but were driven away by volunteers and a few regulars. As they retired they destroyed villages and crops and carried off all implements, furniture, clothing and animals.

Unbiased observers describe the defeat of the Reds as one of the greatest of military disasters and say the campaign that brought it about was of surpassing interest. They agree substantially concerning the utter rout ernor Cox's campaign for the prest of the soviet armies, but in this they dency. Mr. Cantrill left for New York | are contradicted by such bolshevik leaders as have been heard from and by some Germans. These assert that the retreat of the Reds has been conducted in an orderly manner, that they saved most of their supply trains and that the number of casualties has been greatly exaggerated by the Poles.

If now the Poles can restrain their enthusiasm and ambition all may be well with them. They have been warned by the United States, France and probably Great Britain that they must not again attempt an invasion of Russian territory but must stop their advance at the ethnic border of Poland. If they disobey, the allies will withdraw their support. The French foreign office, while agreeing that the Poles must not try to seize any Russian territory, admits the exigencies of the campaign might make it necessary for them to cross the frontier temporarily.

The entente allies came into full accord concerning the Polish question last week, much to the surprise of Germany, and probably to its dismay. They really adopted the policy of France and it is supposed Lloyd George was brought to this view by the persistent attempts of the Reds against British rule in various regions and by some of the terms they tried to force on Poland. These latter were at vari- which Belfast was built, was unex- silly for words."

Will Be Long Before the Ravages Made by War Are Completely Made Up.

New York .- In spite of the fact that he seagoing tonnage of the United States is today nearly 10,400,000 tons greater than in 1914, an advance of nore than 500 per cent, and in spite of the intensive steamship production in Great Britain and the United States for themselves and other countries,

Debts of World Now Aggregate \$265,-

000,000,000 Compared With \$44,-

000,000,000 Before the War.

ginning of the World war.

ing the important Black sea port of paring his case to that of the burgo-Novorosslysk and other cities and master of Brussels whom the Germans almost reaching Ekaterinodar, capital imprisoned. Mr. Lloyd George said of the Kuban Cossacks. At the same that, whatever the consequences, the time another army occupied the Do-netz coal basin 350 miles to the north. government could not take the responsibility of freeing MacSweney. The The loss of those mines will be an es-Sinn Fein leaders feared his death pecially severe blow to the bolsheviki. would lead to an outbreak that would On the borders of the republic of play into the hands of the British. Georgia, an alarming concentration of bolshevik forces is reported, supposed-Efforts of the anti-suffragists to prely in pursuit of a plan to march vent or delay the promulgation of through Georgia and Armenia and esthe ratification of the suffrage amend-

ance with the terms which Kameneff | pectedly present, and told the gather-

said would be proposed and included ing: "I am an Ulsterman, and I'll

the demand that a proletariat army be stand by Ulster, but I am with you

formed in Poland. Naturally the vic- in toto. Have patience with Ulster

torious Poles have rejected the terms and we'll bring her to the point of

Tchitcherin, soviet foreign minister, Ireland." Other Belfast leaders said

self-government as a part of united

much the same. It was believed this

conference was a long step toward

Irish unity and the settlement of the

Meantime Terrence MacSweney,

lord mayor of Cork, was dying of self-

Irishmen appealed to King George to

imposed hunger in a British prison, and

save him, and to President Wilson and

ment were folled, and on Thursday

Secretary of State Colby, receiving offi-

cial notification of the action of the

Tennessee legislature, signed and is-

sued the proclamation. The District

straining order to Secretary Colby,

so now the only hope remaining of the

foes of suffrage is that the United

States Supreme court will declare the

It is interesting to read the opin

ion of the venerable Cardinal Gib-

bons, who has been a consistent op-

ponent of woman suffrage. He says:

"I regret very much that the women

have taken the plunge into the deep.

remained as they were, I am, how-

licans by asserting that they are

vestigate the charge. The committee,

which is in session in Chicago sub-

noensed National Chairmen Hays and

White and Congressional Chairmen

ernor Cox also to appear before it and

present such evidence as he might

have to substantiate his statements.

would furnish what information he

had in due time, and meanwhile he

repeating his accusations. When he

reached Pittsburgh, Thursday night,

he opened up and made public the al-

leged facts upon which he based his

charge that the Republicans are try-

The "expose" really was not so sen-

sational as might have been expected.

Cox read a list of 51 cities and the

amount which the Republican national

committee proposed to raise in each,

the total being \$8.145,000. This figure.

he asserted, had nothing to do with

"the large amounts being collected in

hundreds of smaller cities, towns and

rural communities." He gave no names

of contributors, saying the Republi-

cans could produce those. The gov-

ernor also read documents which he

said proved that Senator Harding had

detailed knowledge of the financing of

Republican Treasurer Upham, who

quota list, says the quotas are vastly

larger than the actual amount called

for by the budget, and asserted that

the national committee had collected,

A rather weak come-back was the

charge made by Congressman Fred

Britten, that the British parliament

had appropriated \$87,500 in favor of

the British ambassador at Washington

for "entertainment purposes," and that

this fund had already found its way

to the Democratic national committee.

This was, of course, denounced as ab-

surd by both Ambassador Geddes

ernor Cox said the charge was "too

The British lead in steel steamer

however, is 4,686,000 tons, and Ameri-

cans own 1,234,000 tons of wooden

The figures indicate that while the

United States has trebled its pre-war

holdings, Great Britain and all the oth-

er maritime nations combined are still

steamers, against 35,000 tons.

placed at 16,049,000, while that of the about 2,500,000 tor- - low their 1914

to date, only \$696,977.82,

his campaign.

ing to "buy the presidency."

The Democratic candidate said he

Fess and Doremus, and "invited" Gov-

Tennessee ratification illegal.

of Columbia refused to issue a re-

the heads of all European states com-

sland's troubles.

ish Nationalists in Asia Minor. The nationalist movement in Egypt, which has been more serious than censored dispatches made it appear, and which has been increasing ever since the establishment of the British protectorate during the war, seems about to meet with success. The British government, it is reliably though not officially reported, has agreed to recognize the independence of Egypt and a final treaty and alliance will soon be negotiated. Fundamental points in the agreement, it is said, are: Egypt will recognize Great Britain's privileged position in the valley of the Nile, and agrees in case of war to afford every facility for ac- ever, of the opinion that after the first cess to Egyptian territory; Great election or so only a small percentage Britain will maintain a garrison in of the women of the country will Egypt in the canal zo gains control of foreign relations, subject to her not making treaties contrary to British policy, and will have the right to maintain diplomatic rep-

The Albanians and Serbs, who are fighting a little war of their own, have been having some bloody battles and the Albanians claim to have driven their foes back into their own country. The victors halted, at least temporarlly, at the demarcation line fixed in 1913

resentatives abroad.

Two deposed rulers of Europe are figuring on climbing back onto thrones. Constantine, former king of Greece, believes that the Greeks will call him back if they have full freedom of expression at the coming elections, but he fears Venizelos will prevent this. He was deeply grieved the other day went ahead with his speaking tour, because Lloyd George, on vacation in Lucerne, refused to see him. The premler gave as a reason "the dastardly attempt on the life of Venizelos," for which Constantine asserts he was in

no way to blame. The other hopeful ex-ruler is Charles, former emperor of Austria. According to a report circulated in European capitals, the Hungarian people want him to be their king, and Great Britain and France have agreed to permit it. Italy and Serbia object. but it is thought the Vatican can persuade the former. Charles has said he would accept the throne of Hungary.

Lloyd George departed for his Swiss holiday in the expectation that the Irish question would await his return. But Irish leaders would not stand for the delay. On Wednesday the standing committee of the Irish peace conference called on the lords justices, representatives of the lord lieutenant, to present resolutions demanding dominion home rule, stop page of coercion and the calling of an Irish convention. They also telegraphed the premier asking that he receive a deputation immediately, in view of the urgency of the situation. This peace conference was an as emblage of some 700 representatives of moderate opinion in all parts, of Ireland, and in all parties. Most of them were unionists, and among the conferees were members of the house of lords, Protestant bishops, Catholic priests, prominent business men, and great land owners. The earl of and Democratic Chairman White. Gov-Shaftesbury, who owns the land on

SHIP TONNAGE STILL SHORT | the world's steel steam tonnage is now | British lead before the war was 14, less by 3,500,000 tons gross than 000,000 tons and today it is approximately 2,300,000, with indications that it would have been if the war had not the lead will increase from now on. interfered with the normal rate of expansion.

Britain is now building nearly 1,500, 000 gross tons of ships more than this country is building, according to the statement, but British holdings of steamers are still 781,000 below the total at the outbreak of the war. The tonnage of the United States is

United Kingdom is 18,380,000, Ti : total, WORLD OWES IMMENSE SUM, all countries where the figures are | 1854 the total indebtedness of the available is equal to about \$150 per

Annual interest charges, when worked down to the individual, would New York .- The debts of the world be about \$6, as against \$1 in the year before the war began. now aggregate \$265,000,000,000, compared with \$44,000,000,000 at the be-In 1700 the world debt was about \$1,000,000,000; at the beginning of the Napoleonic wars it was approximately Interest charges amount to \$9,000,000 -

ita in 1913.

000 a year, compared with \$1,750,000,- \$2,500,000,000, and at its close in 1816 600 in the prewar year, and the per about \$7,000,000,000. capita debt for the aggregate debt in When the Crimes- war began in precision.

world was about \$8,500,000. It inperson, as compared with \$27 per capcreased to \$22,000,000,000 in 1874. From 1874 to 1914, in which the Spanish-American, the Boer, the Russo-Japanese war maintenance of the armies increased expenditures, there was an increase of \$44,000,000,000, at which approximate figure the debt stood when Germany inveded Belgium.

> The blowpipes of the Indians shoot an arrow 200 yards with wonderful

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LESSON FOR SEPTEMBER 5

THE BUILDING OF THE TEMPLE

LESSON TEXT-I Kings 5:1; 8:66. GOLDEN TEXT-Mine house shall be called a house of prayer for all people.-

ADDITIONAL MATERIAL-II Chron. PRIMARY TOPIC—God's House, JUNIOR TOPIC-Solomon Builds the

INTERMEDIATE AND SENIOR TOPIC -Putting Our Best Into the House of YOUNG PEOPLE AND ADULT TOPIC -The Value of a House of Worship

I. Solomon's Preparation (5:1-18). He secured from King Hiram: 1. Wood for beams, ceilings, sheeting, and chambers around the holy

2. Stones for the great foundation. These were secured from the Phoenician quarries and also from the mountain upon which the temple was tuilt. They were so shaped that when the temple was erected there was no sound

of a hammer heard. 3. Skilled workmen. Among the Israelites were not to be found menskilled in this kind of work, so the king arranged with Hiram to furnish

capable men. II. Solomon Building the Temple

(6:1-38). 1. The location-Mount Morah (II Chron. 3:1). This was a suitable location, as it was here that the Lord appeared to Solomon's father, David.

2. The dimensions and materials. "If a cubit was 18 inches, the temple proper was 90 feet long, 30 feet wide and 45 feet high."

3. The contents: (1) Brazen altar; (2) laver; (3) golden candlestick; (4)

III. The Dedication of the Temple (8:1-66). The dedication of the temple was arranged to take place at a very favorable time. The success of an undertaking is largely determined by the

time in which it is held. This was arranged to take place at the most joyous of the several representative gatherings of the Jews. The dedicatory services consisted of the following: 1. Bringing up the ark (vv. 1-11). The ark was God's dwelling place. The ark must be brought into the temple, for God's presence was the true dedication. When this great work was to be done the king arranged for a representative gathering of the people, consisting of the elders, princes and heads of the tribes. Though there were many great men, only the priests, God's appointed ministers, moved the ark. Connected with this service was a very great sacrifice in keeping with I would much prefer that things had the occasion. The ark with the two

fectly kept and sins atoned for by the shedding of blood. Following the completion of the sacrifice, the temple was filled with the glory of Jehovah. Governor Cox roused the Repub-2. Solomon's address to the people (vv. 2-21). He pointed out to the peoraising a minimum fund of \$15,000,000 nle that God had chosen David to be for the campaign. National Chairking, yet for certain reasons did not man Will Hays and his associates at allow him to build the temple, but once denied the truth of the statement promised that his son should do the and both they and the Democratic work. Now that the work was done. leaders demanded that the senate comthe temple was built, and the ark of mittee on campaign expenditures inthe covenant was in its place, they

could be assured that God had raised

tables of stone under the mercy seat

shows God manifesting himself with

his people on the ground of a law per-

him up in the room of his father. 3. Solomon's dedicatory prayer (vv. 22-53). The ark having been placed in a most holy place, and the address to the people having been ended, the king pours out his soul to God in prayer. In this prayer Solomon gratefully acknowledges God's goodness in the past, giving glory to him, and pleads that his promise to his father be verified (vv. 22-26). He prays that God's eyes may continually be opened towards the temple which he had now taken possessic . of (vv. 27-88), so that (1) in case of contention between parties he would judge between them (vv. 31-32); (2) in case of being smitten by the enemy, even though they had sinned, upon confession of the sin. God would forgive and restore (vv. 83, 34); (3) in case of famine as chastisement for sin, upon confession and prayer before the temple, God would forgive and send rain (vv. 35, 36); (4) in case of pestilence and sickness, if they prayed to God toward the temple, God would hear and forgive (vv. 37-40); (5) in case of the coming of the foreigner, who comes at the news of God's greatness, praying toward Jerusalem, his prayer should be heard (vv. 41-45); (6) in case of going out to battle, their cause should be maintained (vv. 44-45); (7) in case of being in captivity because of sin, God had previously told something of the would hear their prayers and restore

(vv. 46-53). 4. Solomon blesses the people (vv. 54-61). On the strength of the covenant promises, he invokes God's presence always to be with them and to keep them faithful, and exhorts the people to have their hearts perfect before God, walking in his command-

ments and statutes. 5. Solomon and the people offer sacrifices of thanksgiving (vv. 62-66). The joy of the people was full; they blessed

God and the king. Seeking Opportunities. Most of us are likely to think that we have responsibilities enough without praying for more. We wonder how we can get through the day, and we are not generally hunting for additional cares. Yet this is exactly what one very busy business man often does in his morning devotions. He asks God to send him on that day to some one who needs such help as he can give. He is already a center of personal service for others, but he is asking for more. While others are seeking to find the way out of so many demands for personal aid, he is seeking for the way to get deeper into others' burdens. It would make a great difference in any neighborhood if a few men were praying for such

opportunities. Poverty Treads on Heels, There is nothing keeps longer than a middling fortune, and nothing melts away sooner than a great one. Poverty treads on the heels of great and expected riches.-Bruyere.

Every Day the Best Day. Write it on your heart that every day is the best day in the year .-Ralph Waldo Emerson.

Evidence of Weakness. Neutrality, as a lasting principle, is an evidence of weakness .- Kossuth.